

India Development and Relief Fund

Empowering poor and marginalized in India, Nepal and Sri Lanka
501 (c) (3) tax-exempt public charity, estb. in 1988 by a World Bank retiree

Experience the JOY of giving back through a tax-smart way!



EDUCATION

- ✦ Free education & Scholarships
- ✦ Skill development
- ✦ Computer & digital literacy

HEALTH

- ✦ Mobile medical clinics
- ✦ Hospitals and path-labs
- ✦ Organ prolapse surgeries
- ✦ Nutritional supplements



WOMEN EMPOWERMENT

- ✦ Vocational training
- ✦ Micro-loans
- ✦ Self-Help Groups



ECO-FRIENDLY DEVELOPMENT

- ✦ Safe water supply
- ✦ Water-Wheels
- ✦ Biogas units & tree plantations

GOOD GOVERNANCE

- ✦ Empowering backward communities
- ✦ Participation in rural governance
- ✦ Improving performance management system -civic authorities and citizens



DISASTER RELIEF/REHAB

- ✦ Relief Kits
- ✦ Livelihood support
- ✦ Financial assistance

Raised \$48 million+ (since 1988). Overheads ONLY 5% and 95% funds go to beneficiary NGOs.

Donate NOW and receive an immediate tax-deduction. Recommend grants from your funds over time for your favorite cause, charity, state or in memory of loved ones.

IDRF has received top-most accreditations and recognition from across the industry!



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****IDRF serves the disadvantaged without regard to race, religion, caste, or creed****



***Putting power- not charity- in the hands of those in need
in India, Nepal and Sri Lanka***

Presentation to WBG Retirees – November 30 2021

: A Primer

- Founded in **1988** by Dr. Vinod Prakash (World Bank retiree) & wife Sarla
- **Mission:** Empowering marginalized people with skills, services and infrastructure grounded in sustainable development
- Focused on India, Nepal and Sri Lanka
- Operates through partnerships with local NGOs with proven track record in serving the needy **without regard to caste, race or religion**
- **\$42+** million in grants since inception to **100+** NGOs spread all across India, Nepal and Sri Lanka
- **442** contributors contributing **\$ 313,035** during 2020 WBG campaign
- Directed by a 8-member Board including **5 ex-WBG staff**



Why IDRF?

1. Exceptionally well-managed with top ratings from independent third parties for transparency, accountability and effectiveness:

- Platinum Seal from **Guidestar** for the last 5 years
- Top ratings by **GreatNonProfits** for the last 9 years
- 4 out of 4 stars for 8 consecutive years by **Charity Navigator**

2. **Very low overheads (admin and fund-raising costs of only 5%)**

over 5000 hours of volunteer time towards fundraising, partner mentoring, project development and monitoring

3. **Donor-driven : six thematic areas (Women Empowerment, Education, Health, Eco-friendly Dev., Good Governance and Disaster Relief/Rehab)** reflecting passions and preferences of our donors.





How can you help?

- Volunteer your skills and experience to mentor our NGO partners and help with selection and design of incoming projects for IDRF funding
- Help with Implementation monitoring of ongoing projects as part of your personal visits to India, Nepal and Sri Lanka
- Last, but not least, generous contributions to IDRF through WBCCC

Together we can make a difference!



Need More Information?

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